

## Message Text

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ACTION AF-08

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: BEXP MASS SU

SUBJECT: PRODUCT OPPORTUNITY - MILITARY AIRPORTS

REF: KHARTOUM 779

1. WE HAVE LEARNED TENDERS FOR MILITARY AIRPORTS REPORTED  
REFTEL AND PREVIOUS HAVE BEEN SUSPENDED. REVISED TENDERS WITH  
NEW REQUIREMENTS WILL BE ISSUED IN THEIR PLACE.

2. REFTEL REPORTED SEPARATE TENDERS WOULD BE ISSUED FOR  
CIVIL AND MILITARY WORKS. APPARENTLY THIS APPROACH RESULTED  
IN NEW PROBLEMS AND GOS NOW WANTS REVIEW AND REVISE WHOLE  
PACKAGE. AR):223;1). ALI EL-MENAA OF MINDEF FOREIGN  
PROCUREMENT BRANCH, MORE PRECISE INFO RE WHAT HAPPENS NEXT  
MAY BE AVAILABLE AS EARLY AS NEXT THURSDAY, APRIL 7, WHEN  
NEW INSTRUCTIONS MAY BE READY. EMBASSY WILL FOLLOW UP AND  
REPORT ADDED DETAILS ASAP.

3. COMMENT: APPEARS GOS TRYING MANAGE LARGE AND AMBITIOUS  
MILITARY CONSTRUCTION EFFORT WITHOUT ASSISTANCE OUTSIDE  
CONSULTANT AND IN PROCESS FINDING EXERCISE MORE DIFFICULT  
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THAN EXPECTED. NOT CLEAR EXACTLY WHAT PROBLEM IS, BUT THOUGH  
TENDERS HAVE BEEN SUSPENDED AND FURTHER DELAYS LIKELY, BELIEVE  
GOS STILL FULLY INTENDS PROCEED WITH AIRPORTS PROJECT.  
MILITARY NEED REMAINS AND FOREIGN FINANCING PRESUMABLY STILL  
AVAILABLE.  
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